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Corner Spring and West Water Sts.

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LABELS,	BILL & LETTER HEADS,
RAILROAD TICKETS,	BLANKS,
BANK CHECKS,	BALLOTS, &c.

Also, PRINTING IN COLORS. apl4

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Second Ward—R. Houghton, Charles E. Jenkins, Chas. Chubbuck.
Third Ward—John Coughlin, John Hayden, Jas. Reed.
Fourth Ward—James Ludington, A. L. Kane, Daniel Schutte.
Fifth Ward—Andrew Mitchell, Edward Wunderly, Jasper Humphrey.

STANDING COMMITTEES.—*Finance*—Wunderly, Ludington, Houghton.
Judiciary—Jenkins, Mallory, Reed.
Schools—Mitchell, Hayden, Houghton.
Police—Humphrey, Kane, Schutte.
Fire—Schutte, Wunderly, Geisberg.
Printing—Kane, Coughlin, Mallory.
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All the latest and most popular Music, Violin and Guitar Strings, and everything else in their line. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

J. BALATKA.
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THE ELEPHANT IS COMING!

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Milwaukee, July 23, 1853. jy25

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GROCERY AND POULTRY STORE,
—IN THE MARKET HOUSE.—
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Shot Guns made to shoot close. oct10

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BY S. M. BOOTH. MILWAUKEE, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 19, 1854. VOL. IV.....NO. 207.

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LAND AND HOUSE AGENCY.—The Subscribers have for sale FARMS in every part of the State; HOUSES and LOTS in every Ward in the City. They are ready to execute Surveys, pay Taxes, divide Land, lay out Roads or Mill Sites, measure earth-work and make estimates for Contractors, draw Maps, Plans and profiles. Office over Knowland & Hull's Bank.
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Books, Stationery, Paper-Hangings, &c.

all which will be sold as low the times will admit.
Waukesha, June, 1852.

GILBERT WRIGHT,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
WAUKESHA, WIS. oct24-daw

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Painter and Glazier, Opposite Henry's Exchange, Waukesha, Wis. dec5

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Keeps constantly on hand and for sale, all kinds of Harnesses, Trunks, Saddles, &c. All kinds of Job Work in his line done on the shortest notice. Shop opposite Gales Block. Waukesha, dec6

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Book-Binder, Ruler and Stationer,
AND DEALER IN
PICTURES AND PICTURE FRAMES.
NEWS AND BOOK INK FOR SALE.
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UNITED STATES HOTEL,
Madison, - - - - - - - - - Wisconsin

THE PROPRIETOR has furnished this Hotel anew throughout, and his Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords.
The public patronage is respectfully solicited.
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HOYER & HEINEMS.
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Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser,
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CHICAGO, ILL.
STEVENS & WILLARD, PROPRIETORS.

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Corner of Franklin and Dodge sts.,
WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER,
JANESVILLE, - - - WISCONSIN.
JOHN KIMBALL, PROPRIETOR.
This House is conducted upon strict Temperance Principles, and furnished in a superior style. my18-dtf

A. B. VAN COTT.
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Corner of Michigan and E. Water Sts., Milwaukee,
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Having purchased the establishment of Mr. GARDINER, Milwaukee—informs his friends and the Public generally, that he has just received from New York City, the most splendid and extensive stock of goods in his line ever offered to customers in the Western country. This assortment comprises Gold and Silver Watches, with cylinders, anchor and patent levers, escapement, selected by himself expressly for his customers, and warranted.

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LOOKING GLASSES.—A great assortment, with gilt mahogany frames of various sizes and patterns, with polished plates, and warranted true.

SILVER WARE—Table, tea and dessert spoons, sugar scoops, &c., warranted of the finest coin standard.

LAMPS—A great variety of solar Lamps of the most perfect construction, securing a most beautiful and brilliant light, of various sizes and with elegant plain and cut glass shades.

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Guitars of superior tone and perfect workmanship, Violins, the best assortment ever offered, including some of great antiquity and value. Accordeons of elegant tone and finish, German Flutes, Fifes, &c., with instruction books,, Violin and Guitar strings, &c., and other appurtances to musical instruments.

JEWELRY of the best quality, including Ear Rings of the Jenny Lind, German, and other late and fashionable styles, Breast Pins, Finger Rings, with diamond and stone settings; also fine coin wedding rings.

Mr. VAN COTT, having long been a manufacturer of the above articles in the city of New York, his knowledge and experience in this line enable him with excellent opportunities to select and recommend the best articles in his line.

FANCY GOODS of all kinds, such as silver and Buffalo Horn Combs, Brushes, Spectacles, Guard Chains, gold and silver, Britannia Tea Setts, Silver Cake Baskets, Castors, &c., &c.

Watches cleaned and warranted to keep time for one year, or money refunded. oct29

1853. **FALL TRADE.** 1853.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!
AT THE HARDWARE STORE OF
A. K. WILLIAMS,
25 Spring street, 1st door East of American House,
WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

A. K. WILLIAMS is now receiving and opening his Fall Stock of Goods, at No. 25 Spring street, where the Public can always find a general and complete assortment of Builders' Hardware, Cutlery, Carpenters, Coopers and Blacksmiths' Tools, Files, Iron, Nails, Glass, Sash, &c., &c., which he will sell, at wholesale or retail, as low as the lowest. Call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Carpenters

Can be furnished with Planes, Saws, Hatchets, Hammers, Augers, Levels, Bevels, &c., besides a general assortment of HOUSE TRIMMINGS!

Blacksmiths and Waggon Makers,

With Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Springs, Axles, Hammers, Files, Chisels, Rimmers, &c.

Coopers,

With Knives, Truss Hoops, Adzes, Shaves, Howels, &c.

Farmers,

Will find a complete assortment of Farming Utensils.

Everybody else,

"and the rest of mankind," can be accommodated with Nails, Sash, Shovels, Spades, Picks, Crow Bars Axles and Springs; two, three and four tined Forks; Coil, Ox and Log Chains; Chain and Cast Pumps, Currycombs and Cards, Horse and Paint Brushes. Also an assortment of Enamelled and Tin Sauce Pans and Kettles; Shovels and Tongs, Fire Sets and Standards, Trays, Waiters in setts, Brass and Pillar Candlesticks, Brass and Glass Curtain Pins and Bands, &c., &c.
Milwaukee, October, 1853

Eagle Steam Power Foundery,
WEST WATER STREET,
Milwaukee, - - - - Wisconsin,
TURTON & SERCOMB, Proprietors,

RESPECTFULLY beg to inform their friends and the public generally, that they continue to manufacture all kinds of

Engines, Cast & Wrought Iron Works,

for Grist and Saw Mills. Also, all kinds of *Machinery*, at their well known establishment, Nos. 298 & 300 West Water Street.

They are themselves both practical mechanics, the one a pattern maker of twenty years' experience; the other a *moulder of thirty years' experience*. They likewise employ none but the very best workmen that can be obtained

Their stock of patterns cannot be equalled—they have all been made in this city, expressly for the wants of this State—and they can and will do better than any similar establishment in this State, and on the shortest notice.

They respectfully call the attention of the public to their ENGINE DEPARTMENT.
THOMAS TURTON, JOHN SERCOMB,
October 4, 1853.

NEW YORK MILLINERY.
NEW QUARTERS! NEW GOODS!
REMOVAL!

MISS MORRIS has opened her NEW STORE, on the corner of Wisconsin and Main sts., where she has for sale a new and splendid *assortment of*

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS

of the latest and best styles. She has also a large stock on the way, and intends to keep her store at all times well supplied with the best goods, so that those ladies who wish to PURCHASE can always find what they want.

PATTERNS and DRESS TRIMMINGS of all descriptions alway for sale my14

DECKER & SEVILLE,
PROPRIETORS OF THE
RELIANCE WORKS,
Milwaukee, - - - Wisconsin.

GENERAL MANUFACTURERS of **Stoves, Castings, Agricultural Implements, Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Ware, French Burr Mill Stones, &c., &c.**

Job Work done on the shortest notice, and in a workmanlike manner.

Manufactory, No. 290 WEST WATER ST. | **Sale Room,** No. 115 EAST WATER ST.

Also, Dealers in Bolting Cloths, Mill Furnishings, Stucco, Water Lime, Fire Brick, &c. apr16
C. S. DECKER. JAMES SEVILLE.

J. A. HALL,
(formerly Hall & Pierce,)
Bookseller and Stationer and Dealer in Paper Hangings,

HAS now on hand for sale a LARGE ASSORTMENT of most of the goods wanted in his line of business, and has "more of the same sort" on the way.
J. A. HALL, 185 East Water St., Milwaukee

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TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: I give you notice that I am ready to purchase the entire Furniture of any one who is going to give up housekeeping and pay the cash down, or I will advance Cash on Furniture, and sell it at Auction for the best price I can get, and charge a fair commission. (ap15) C. WALL, City Auctioneer.

MORE HOT CORN.—Third supply of "Hot Corn Stories." Also, Home for All, Water Cure Encyclopedia by Dr. Trall, and an endless variety of New and Cheap Literature, received per this morning's Express, at
H. D. HULL'S, Irving Bookstore.
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FOR SALE.

JOHN GREGORY, House and Land Agent, is instructed to sell a few acres of good land, near the city. This would suit a gardener or nursery man. apl3

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS' PRESENTS!
—AT—
F. J. BLAIR'S,
NO. 163, EAST WATER STREET.

A splendid variety of rich, ornamental and useful goods, purchased expressly for the Holidays, a list of which may be found below, :

Band China Fruit Baskets,	Band gilt lustre and white china, tea and dinner setts
White do do	Plated cake baskets
Band do Bowls,	do castors,
Rich dec'd china coffee cups	do candlesticks,
do do card caskets,	do lamps.
do do colognes,	do snuffers and trays,
do do candlesticks,	do spoons (tea and table,)
Bohemian glass vases,	do butter & fruit knives,
do do decanters,	do dinner & desert forks,
do do wines,	Rich gilt candelabras,
do do colognes,	do girandoles,
do dospoon receiv'rs	Solar and hall lamps,
do do toilet bottles,	Parian Pitchers,
Terra Cotta and Wedgewood	do molasses jugs,
sugar vases with ash cups,	do cups, saucers, &c., &c.
French toilet setts,	Toy, tea setts and dec'd mugs
Children's ewers and basins,	Oil and gas chandaliers,
English & French tea trays,	

Also a large lot of best ivory handled cutlery. dec21

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

OFFICE OF THE LA CROSSE & MIL. R. R. CO., MILWAUKEE, January 19, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following additional installments are required to be paid on all subscriptions to the Capital Stock of the La Crosse & Milwaukee Railroad Company, viz: Ten per centum of the amount of all Stock subscribed by persons residing east of Wisconsin River, payable on the first day of February next; and Ten per cent. on all such Stock, payable on the first day of June next. Also, on all Stock subscribed by persons residing west of Wisconsin River, the following Installments, viz: Five per cent. payable on the first day of March next; Five per cent. payable on the first day of June next; and Ten per cent. payable on the first day of October next. The said payments to be made at the office of the Treasurer of the Company, in the city of Milwaukee.

By order of the Board of Directors,
jan21 d2tawawtoct1 LEVI BURNELL, Sec'y.

BOOT AND SHOE STORE,
No. 116 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

THE SUBSCRIBER may now be found at his new place of business, No. 116 East Water st., opposite the new store of Durand & Lawrence.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him he hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the patronage of his old friends, and to induce lots of new ones to give him a call.

His stock of Boots and Shoes are all *his own manufacture*, and by employing good workmen, and using the best material, he feels confident that he can give perfect satisfaction to his customers.

Remember the name and number.
oct21 H. FREEMAN, 116 East Water st.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL OF NEW AND BEAUTIFUL CARPETING.—Just received by the Subscribers a fresh assortment of **Velvet Tapestry, Brussels, Three Ply, and Ingrain Carpetings,** some new patterns of Three Ply goods never before seen, and we think the handsomest styles that have yet been exhibited in our city. We should be happy to show the goods to our citizens before the assortment is broken.
je30 BRADFORD BROTHERS.

HYACINTHS, &c.

THOMAS HISLOP, Seedsman and Florist to the Wisconsin State Agricultural Society, (by appointment) has just received direct from Hamburg, and for sale, a choice assortment of DUTCH FLOWER ROOTS, comprising Hyacinths, Narcissus, Tulips, Ranunculus, Crocus, Snowdrops, Amargilis, Gladiolus, &c., &c. Also 100 varieties German flower seeds. 55 Wisconsin St., Milwaukee oc13

IVORY HANDLED CUTLERY.—Just received, the largest and best selected stock of Table Cutlery to be found in this city, consisting of Knives and Forks, 1 setts of 51 pieces; Dinner and Desert Knives without forks; Butter Knives, Carvers and Forks; Fruit Knives, &c., &c., for sale very low at No. 163 East Water street. june28 F. J. BLAIR.

WANTED.

AN'Y PERSON having a good Pedlar's outfit, wagon, team, &c., and would like a pleasant and very profitable employment for the next two or three months, will hear of a rare opportunity by applying immediately, by mail or otherwise, to H. D. HULL,
ja11 Irving Bookstore, Milwaukee.

PLEASANT ROOMS TO RENT,

ON upper part of Main street. Parlor, and Bed Room adjoining, with use of Kitchen if required. Terms moderate.
Enquire of Mr. CHAPMAN, Meat Market, 192 East water street dec15 dtf

INK.—Arnold's Writing Ink, in stone bottles, for Schools; for sale by the dozen, very low. Arnold's *writing Fluid*, one half pint, *pint*, and *quart bottles*.—Black Record Ink, various sizes; Arnold's copying Ink; Arnold's Red Ink
oct21-d&c S. CHAPMAN.

MATTRASSES.—Hair, Felt, Moss, Cotton and Straw Mattrasses constantly on hand or made to order, at A. D. SEAMANS,
jy16 172 & 174 East Water-st.

Slip and Chair Cushions on hand and made to order.

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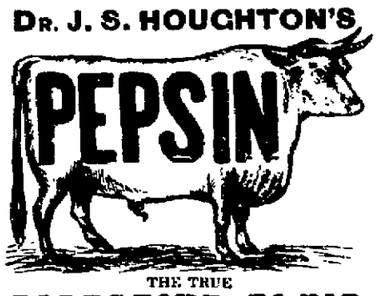

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MILWAUKEE:

FRIDAY.....MAY 19.

For President in 1856,
JOHN P. HALE, of New York.
FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
GEORGE W. JULIAN, of Indiana.

The Satanic in Business.

The *Satanic* publishes as a "secret circular," part of a circular we enclosed in our Weekly paper to all our subscribers, asking them to extend the circulation of our paper. Very *secret*, that. If too *Satanic* had a respectable circulation, and was taken by others than slave-catchers and their friends, we should be obliged to it, for what it has published. But as it has omitted the programme of principles which we stated the Free Democrat would advocate, we republish the circular in full:

To the Friends of Freedom.

Recent occurrences in this State, connected with the imperious demands of the Slave Power, that the law of Freedom, which now excludes Slavery from all territory north of 36° 30' shall be repealed, and that Slavery shall be nationalized and fostered by the General Government, induces us to address you, for the purpose of securing your cooperation in increasing the circulation of the FREE DEMOCRAT. For our efforts to vindicate the sovereignty, the Constitution and laws of this State and to secure justice to JOSHUA GLOVER, who was denied the writ of Habeas Corpus in a case involving his personal liberty, we have been prosecuted in a criminal suit, bound over, and held to bail in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, to be tried at the July Term of the U. S. District Court, at Madison. We are also summoned to answer in a civil suit, in the same case, for Two Thousand Dollars damages, at the same time and place. In the first case, if convicted, we are liable to $1,000 fine and costs, and six months imprisonment; in the second case, to $1,000 damages and costs.

The FREE DEMOCRAT will continue to oppose the repeal of the Missouri Compromise, the increase of Slave Territory and Slave States, and will maintain that Slavery cannot rightfully exist in any Territory or District under exclusive federal jurisdiction.

It will maintain the doctrine that the National Government was established to secure the blessings of Liberty, and gives no authority to legislate for the extension and perpetuity of Slavery

It will advocate the repeal of the Fugitive Slave Act of 1850, because it is unconstitutional and a violation of the Constitution and sovereignty of this State.

It will oppose the return of any fugitive to Slavery, or the deprivation of personal liberty of any inhabitant of this State, without the benefit of the writ of Habeas Corpus, or the right of Trial by Jury. And it will maintain the duty of the State Government to protect all its inhabitants in the enjoyment of these sacred guarantics of Freedom.

It will oppose the further sales of the Public Lands, or the grants of them to corporations, and will advocate the reservation of these lands for actual settlers, so that Free Homes may be guaranteed to all the people

It will advocate the doctrine that the only just province of legislation is to protect men's rights and redress their wrongs, and to execute justice between a man and his neighbor.

It will maintain the cause of Liberty and the People against the arrogant assumptions and demands of the Slave Power, and will stand or fall with the cause of Human Liberty.

Those who are willing to aid us in this conflict with Slavery, and who believe that our cause is the cause of Justice against Injustice, of Right against Wrong, of Liberty against Despotism, and that the blow aimed at us is a blow struck at State Sovereignty and Popular Rights, have now an opportunity to manifest their good will by extending the circulation of the FREE DEMOCRAT.

P. S.—If those who receive this Circular will give a little time and effort to this object, our subscription list will be doubled in a week, our hands will be greatly strengthened, and we shall feel encouraged by the assurance that the Free Men and Women of Wisconsin stand by those who stand by the cause of Freedom.

S. M. BOOTH.

MILWAUKEE, April 26, 1854.

Now, what is there in this circular improper? Is there anything stated in it which is not true, or of which any honest man should be ashamed? The *Satanic* seems to think it a crime for a publisher to solicit subscribers or business, and to be exceedingly mortified that a paper devoted to the interests of Freedom should grow stronger and stronger, and become every day more prosperous, while with all the aid of Government and official and party patronage, it sinks deeper and deeper into trouble, is fast dwindling out a sickly existence, and has become a by-word and a reproach among Democrats.

We can assure the *Satanic* that this Circular not only expresses appropriate sentiments, but that it is responded to every day, and that, if it is an offense for a newspaper publisher to get paying subscribers and business, a large number of people in this city would be interested in having the *Satanic* run up a large score of such offenses specially. We are sorry that our poor contemporary, in his distress, embarrassments and shiftings from pillar to post, should take our prosperity so much to heart. But we don't see how it can be helped. The more our enemies rail against us, and endeavor to injure us, the more we thrive. And if they continue their present course long enough, we shall out-grow and over-top them all. *No live man, of any stamina, was ever yet put down by abuse, and no live newspaper can be.*

We will add that the responses to this Circular have been most cheering.

Since writing the above, we have received a letter from an old class-mate, whose name and labors are identified with the educational and moral interests of the State, which, did we feel at liberty to publish, would show how these matters are regarded by the best portion of the community.

The Madison Argus says its readers regard the Nebraska question as the most stupid one to which it could devote its columns. The stupidity with which the Argus has treated it, is equalled only by its wickedness.

THE Madison Argus has a long article in deprecation of the new Democratic paper about to be established in that place.

Messrs. Stevens and Rogers retire from the La Crosse Democrat, and are succeeded by Messrs Lord and Rodolph.

Great New York Meeting.

A great Anti-Nebraska Meeting was held in the Park, New York, last Saturday afternoon and evening, to protest against the consummation of the prepared outrage against Freedom. It was a great gathering, and the proceedings will have a great effect on the country. It was composed of the most substantial men of the city, and was addressed by B. F. Butler, R. N. Haven, Thos. C. Fessenden, Wm. C. Bloss of Rochester, Mr. Blackwell of Cincinnati, and Wm. H. Fry of the N. Y. Tribune.

Butler declared, if it was his last act, he wo'd vote for Wm. H. Seward, or any honest man, before Douglas, though he were the Democratic nominee. We give the resolutions as follows:

Resolved, That we have reached a crisis that threatens our rights as citizens, and the stability of our Union—when in order to extend Slavery over a Territory which is ours by compact, and aggrand ze the Slave States at the expense of the Free, plighted faith is trampled in the dust, and the expressed WILL OF THE PEOPLE is overborne in the House of Representatives, by influences unconstitutionally brought to bear, with the connivance of the Administration;—destroying the freedom of our legislation, and thus striking at the root of our liberties, and subjecting us to an intolerable despotism.

Resolved, That to those members of the House, whether from the North or the South, who, true to their honor and their oaths,—their country and their God, are keeping sleepless watch at their posts, in defence of the principles of true Democracy, of the just rights of the North, and of our national welfare, we offer our warmest, our sincerest thanks; and we pray them to persevere unto the end, and to remember that the gratitude we now feel for their tried fidelity, will endear their names and their memories to the highminded of their countrymen, thro' all coming time.

Resolved, That our Northern Representatives, who, seduced by bribes, bullied by threats, or deluded by sophistries, are abetting the Nebraska conspiracy, and betraying the mighty interests and destinies entrusted to their keeping, words are wanting to express. That we solemnly declare that no man who, from this hour, votes *to repeal the Missouri Compromise*, or, to our knowledge, aids its repeal, directly or indirectly, shall ever receive our votes for any office in the people's gift.

Resolved, That the pretences that the Nebraska bill maintains a squatter sovereignty—that it denies the right of Congress to legislate for the Territories, and that it recognizes the right of *non-intervention*, are most transparent shams, and serve only to indicate more clearly, the bad faith of its framers and supporters; that, in the language of the great statesman, Thomas H. Benton, the trusty leader of the Democracy of the West, "it denies to the people of the Territory, every attribute of sovereignty—denies them freedom of election—denies them the freedom of voting—denies them the choice of their own laws—denies them the right of fixing qualifications for voters—subjects them to a foreign supervision, and the control of the Federal Government, which they had no hand in electing;" and that if any recreant member from the North hopes to excuse his treachery on such pretences, he greatly mistakes the clear-sighted intelligence of his wronged constituents.

Resolved, That in our opinion, the rights of the Free States are in jeopardy from Southern aggression and Northern treachery, and that inasmuch as union is strength, it becomes the people of the Free States to confer together at this momentous crisis. That to this end, the citizens of this State, without distinction of party, who are disposed to maintain the rights and principles of the North, to stay the extension of Slavery to new Territories—to rescue from its control the Federal Government—and so far as can be properly done to kindly aid the citizens of the South in peacefully hastening its end, as a system unjust in itself, and unworthy of this Great Republic, be invited to assemble in Convention at such time and place as the General Committee shall designate, to determine what course duty and patriotism require us to pursue. And that the citizens of the Free States generally, as also of Maryland, Delaware, Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky, and Missouri, who sympathize with these views, be earnestly invited to hold Conventions in their several States, and to consider the expediency of a General Convention for the better protection of the rights of free labor in every section of our vast country.

Resolved, That the General Committee heretofore appointed by the citizens of New York, to oppose the Nebraska perfidy, embracing a large number of trusty citizens, native and adopted, without reference to party lines, now being obliterated by our common danger, be continued permanently, with power to add to their number. That they be charged with the execution of the last resolution, and that they be further requested to take immediate measures for the organization of an effective scheme of emigration to the southernmost border of Kansas and Nebraska open to emigrants, with a view of excluding Slavery from all Territories from which it was excluded by the Missouri Compromise; and that they appeal to the generous liberality of our merchants and citizens generally, to create an ample fund for the use of said Committee.

Resolved, That the resolutions and the proceedings of this meeting, be addressed to the President of the United States, to each member of the Senate, and House of Representatives, and to the Governors of each State, that they may be advised of the temper and determination of the people of New York, at this interesting and eventful period of our country's history.

The reading of the resolutions was frequently interrupted by loud demonstrations of approbation. At the conclusion, the President put the question on their adoption, which was carried by a hearty and general "Aye"

A Voice—I move that Tennessee be included in the States invited by the fifth resolution.

The President—It shall be done, and was so intended, but was accidentally omitted.

THE New York Resolutions, which we publish in another column, are strong and decided, and point directly to a union of all the people opposed to the extension of Slavery in one great Freedom party. If this suggestion is heeded, and acted on, throughout the North, the days of the Slave Power will be few.

They also recommend that an effective scheme be adopted for colonizing Nebraska and Kansas with freemen.

The Wisconsin and Sentinel publish the first three Resolutions, but omit the last four, which contain the *gist* of the whole. They were adopted by acclamation.

ONE OF THE CLAIMS.—Deputy Sheriff Kearney presented a claim to the Racine Common Council for Five Thousand Dollars, because the citizens fired off a cannon twice in the middle of the street near his residence,—it hurt his feelings so. The Council laid his claim on the table, as promptly as the people will lay him on the shelf whenever they have an opportunity.

THE Society for the Relief of Aged and Destitute Clergymen, lately chose a committee of six, to interrogate ministers concerning their salaries. From more than one thousand ministers have they received replies, which will soon be given to the public in pamphlet form.

A Free Democratic paper is to be started immediately at Elkhorn, Walworth county. The object is to break down the Walworth Reporter, the old established paper of the county.—*Wisconsin.*

Why not be just? We know nothing of the object of such a paper, further than what is patent on the face of the matter, and that is, that the majority party in the county may have a paper which represents their views and principles. Such a paper may live and flourish without being accused of a wish to break down other papers. We live and flourish, and have a much larger subscription than the Wisconsin, though only half as old, and yet, so mean a wish as to break down the Wisconsin never entered our mind. There is room for all to live, who will work and be honest.

STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The third annual meeting of the State Agricultural Society, for the election of officers took place at Madison on Wednesday last, with the following result:

President—ELISHA W. EDGERTON, of Waukesha.

Vice President—James Barling, of Marquette, Lemuel W. Joiner, of Iowa, Nathan't B. Clapp, of Kenosha.

Secretary—Albert C. Ingham, of Madison.

Treasurer—Samuel Marshall, of Madison.

Executive Committee—Samuel S. Daggett, of Milwaukee, Richard E. Ela, of Racine, H. N. Smith, of Sheboygan, A. F. Cady, of Jefferson, Mark Miller, of Rock, Talbot C. Dousman, of Waukesha, George O. Tiffany, of Milwaukee.

SABBATH CONVENTION.—The *Chicago Tribune* says that some hundred delegates were present, from Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin, Indiana, Michigan and New York, at the Sabbath Convention which convened at that place on Wednesday last. The Convention was permanently organized by the appointment of the following officers:

President—LEWIS BROAD, Esq., of Chicago.

Vice Presidents—Rev. Albert Hale, Ill., Rev. D. W. Bardiner, Ind., Dea. Jonas Whitney, Wis., Rev. O. Emerson, Ia., Rev. R. H. Richardson, Chicago, Rev. C. T. Hinman, D. D., Chicago, Rev. M. Kenyon, Rev. A. M. Stewart, Rev. C. G. Clark, Mich., F. A. Armstrong, Mo., Thos. W. Blatchford, M. D., Troy, N. Y.

Secretaries—Rev. J. C. Holbrook, Rev. J. G. Wilson, Rev. J. V. Watson.

THE weather during the past two weeks has been very dry and windy, accompanied with frosty nights. Gardens are very backward, and the farmers tell us that the wheat and corn crops are in anything but a favorable state.—We want lots of rain, rain!

As we went to press last evening, the clouds had the appearance of a coming storm. According to Mr. Shaw, we are to have rain, tomorrow, the 14th.—*Potosi Republican.*

WE learn from a friend who has just come from that section, that Mr. Shaw's prophecy was fulfilled,—and that the people have been blessed with an abundance of rain.

A CHANCE FOR A SPECULATION.—A friend writes us from the North-western part of the State, that they should be glad to have some one bring a load of *tin cups* into that region, and that he thinks they would sell well there.

We would inform our friend that we may have led the people into error as to the *price* of tin cups. The price received by my ancient Judge, we have learned, was *ten cents*, and not *six* cents, as we formerly stated.

SEVERE STORM AT WHEELING.—A terrible storm occurred at Wheeling, Va, on the 17th inst. The Suspension Bridge was blown into the river—the cables at each end having been torn out of their fastenings by the force of the gale. The bridge lay across the river blocking navigation temporarily.

LUMBER SUITS.—The *Detroit Inquirer* says "We understand there are *eighty-eight* cases of trespass upon Government lands, and the abstraction of timber therefrom," to be tried at the term of the U. S. District Court which commenced in that city on Monday last.

HARRISON FREEMAN, a colored man, was arrested at Quincy, Ill., on Tuesday last, on charge of having murdered his wife, who was found dead in his house with marks of violence on her head, neck and body.

LEONARD HOUSLET shot himself dead at Hameltown, near Cincinnati, in his rage, because the moulds in which he was running candles leaked! His wife was present, but was petrified by the man's horrible curses.

NEW POST OFFICE.—A new post office has been established in the town of Lisbon, Adams Co., by the name of Fountain, and Robert J. Clark appointed Post Master.

THE citizens of St. Louis are feasting upon strawberries. A dealer there receives 300 gallons daily.

In Supreme Court.

MADISON, MAY 16.—Court met at 10 o'clock A. M.—All the Judges being present.

Decisions were had in cases as follows:

Champion J. Hutchinson, et. al., plaintiffs in error, vs. Robert G. McClellan, defendant in error: Racine circuit court. Opinion by Justice Smith. Judgment reserved with costs.

Michel H. Butler, pltff. in error, vs. Joel Barlow, deft. in error: From the first circuit. opinion by Justice Crawford. Judgment affirmed with costs.

Martin Dewey, pltff. in error, vs. Eldridge G. Filield, deft. in error: Rock county court Opinion by Chief Justice Whiton. Judgment of the county court reversed.

E. B. Dean, Jr. et. al., pltffs. in error, vs. Wm. A. Wheeler, deft. in error: Dane county court. Opinion by Chief Justice Whiton.—Judgment reversed.

J. M. Keep, pltff. in error, vs. G. D. Sanderson, et. al. defts. in error. Opinion by Justice Crawford. Judgment reversed and cause remanded.

State ex. Rel. Cushing vs. Chas. Lum, clerk of court of Dane Co. Motion to quash proceedings by Collins, Knapp & Knowlton, attorneys for Hungerford.—*Madison Journal.*

Messrs. Chapman & Co., have bought the Edgington & Williams diggings, at Wingville, for $900. It is supposed to be a rich *prospect*. *Prospect*, among miners means a fair show for a *lead*. *Lead*, means any diggings producing 100,000 lbs of lead ore or upwards. *Lode* is the Book word for *lead*.

The miners at Wingville are all doing well. We believe lands are cheaper, in that neighborhood than anywhere else in Grant County. It is an excellent place for farming. There are several recent departures for California, among the rest, Mr. A. Leadbetter.—*Grant County Herald.*

THE PROSPECT.—Farmers tell us that there has not been so good a prospect for a crop of grass and grains for fifteen years in our county.—*Racine Adv.*

A Landscape, Geographical and Political.

A correspondent of the Beloit *Journal*, traveling in the Western part of the State, writes as follows:

"Situated 4 1-2 and 6 miles N. E. of Platteville, are the Platte Mounds, (Eunesheteno) lifting themselves above the prairie and forming a landmark for the traveler miles away. Two of them are of considerable size and are covered on the northern and eastern sides with very good timber. Midway between the two largest, is a beautiful conical elevation clothed with prairie grass and flowers to its summit, save where some huge Cyclopean blocks lie scattered about. On the eastern slope of the west mound, is one of the most beautiful sites for a country residence on which you ever placed your eyes, belonging to Mr. Isaac Lord. The house is shaded by black walnut, oak, and hickory trees, and is protected by the mound from the cold west winds of winter. Within a few yards is a spring of pure cold water, such as a Beloitite does not often get a taste of. To the east you have a view of most enchanting scenery for some 25 miles, comprising the other two mounds and a variety of prairie and woodland landscape, and the village of Belmont, once the capital of the N. W. T., but now only containing two or three houses, including the very pretty place of Judge Dunn, who has been living for some years on the hope of a seat in the U. S. Senate, but whose political neck was broken by his opposition to the Maine Law last winter. The farm on which we stand, consisting of some 240 acres of rich soil, is for sale at $21½ per acre. But we can enlarge our view somewhat by ascending the mound, where we find ourselves some 700 feet above the Mississippi, on a bed of coralline limestone, which by the grand convulsions of past ages has been washed off from the surrounding region, leaving the system of mounds with the monster rocks scattered on their sides, and left at their bases to tell of what has been. The recent prairie fires have bared and blackened the crumbled rocks upon the summit, but the delicate blue buds, and blossoms of the Anemone Patens, Spring's first gift, are strewn thickly around, and the richly flowred carpet of spring will not long be wanting.

"Around to the south spreads a billowy ocean of prairie, rolling but never broken, dotted with farm houses and groves of trees apparently planted by man. On every side, farms, ere long to be covered with abundant harvests of rich grain waving in the sun with varied hue, come almost up to the base of the mound, belieing the tales we have heard of the barren soil of the mines. In almost every direction we can see from thirty to forty miles. To the north, the view is bounded by the hills of the Wisconsin River. In the north east, the Blue Mounds forty miles distant form a background. In the south appear several mounds in the vicinity of Galena, and in the south west is seen Sinsinawa Mound, while to the west and north west, the view is only bounded by the mounds of Iowa, and the high hills through which the Father of Waters breaks his sweeping way. The town of Lancaster, Platteville, Hazel Green, Benton, Darlington, and some houses in the vicinity of Mineral Point, and Dodgeville can be distinctly seen in a clear day."

ACKNOWLEDGING THE TRUTH.—The Rutland, Vt., Herald, Whig, thus portrays the past and present condition of the Whig party.—Mark. It says the Baltimore Platform must precede the nomination of any candidate of the Whig party in future. Of course it must, or the party would be dissolved. It says:

"How came that Baltimore Platform to be built? Some three or four hundred delegates were sent to Baltimore by the Whigs of every State in the Union to nominate candidates for President and Vice President. This was the business they were to do and not fail of doing. But before one step could be taken, it was absolutely necessary to erect a platform, and such a one as the whole Convention would adopt.—Any serious bolting in that Convention would have sent the Whig party into two or three sections. Where, then, would be the hopes of success? *No other platform could hold the Convention together, and just such a platform must precede the nomination of any candidate. It would do in the Convention, but it broke down at once under the people*, and no man, who loves his life, and can swim, is now found upon it."

POLITICAL POWER OF SLAVERY.—The Wilmington (Del.) Republican has an article on the Nebraska Bill which closes thus:

"Let our readers look at the political effect of increasing slave territory. South Carolina has a white population of 274,567, a slave population of 384,984; she has seven representatives on the floor of Congress. Delaware has, say one-fourth the number of *white* inhabitants that South Carolina has. Delaware has only 2,290 slaves, not enough to send representatives to Congress. In other words, if the whites only of the two States were represented, Carolina would have only three representatives instead of seven, and Delaware would still retain the single representative. Or, let the free laboring population of the North understand the question fairly: 274,567 white men in N. York or Pennsylvania have the privilege of voting for three representatives. In South Carolina a slaveholder's vote is worth more than double as much; the same number of white men elect *seven* representatives."

Shocking Accident.—At an early hour yesterday morning, Samuel Bromley, one of the men employed in the press room of this establishment, had his left foot caught in the Adams' press and torn almost entirely to pieces before he could be extricated. He was the night feeder of the large cylinder press, but while waiting for a form to be put on, went to the Adams', and at his own request took the place of the feeder there for the sake of practice, as he was unaccustomed to it. The accident happened by his feeling for a foot lever, and placing his foot in the wrong part of the press.

The mangled limb was dressed by Dr. Brainard, assisted by Dr. Hunt, as soon as they could be summoned. The broken bones were removed and the lacerated muscles bound up.—After the dressing was completed, he was placed in a carriage and conveyed to the house of his father. He suffered extremely during yesterday and last night, and it is yet doubtful whether his safety will require the amputation of the foot.—*Chicago Press.*

ALMOST A FIRE.—*Child Burned.*—On Tuesday evening the cry of fire proceeded from the Hudson House, whereupon a mighty rush was made to extinguish the flames, which was soon effected by the aid of a few buckets of water.—The fire, as we have been told, was occasioned by the carelessness of a woman boarder, who left a lighted candle by the bed in an insecure position. Her child was sleeping in the bed, and her wardrobe was hanging by the wall near by. Fire was communicated to the bed by some slight movement of the candle, and from the bed to the clothing on the wall. The screams of the child brought the mother in haste, who cried most lustily for help, the alarm was thus given, the child rescued, though badly burned, and the fire extinguished.—*Hudson (St. Croix Co.) Journal.*

EXTRAORDINARY PISTOL SHOOTING.—The great match and bet of one thousand dollars to eight hundred, says the New Orleans *Picayune*, has at last been decided, Mr. Travis, winning the money upon the first shot. The affair came off May Day; after the shooting distance of thirty-six feet was measured, and all parties agreed, the orange was placed by the judges on the head of a gentleman, a friend of both parties, Mr. J. P. O., and no object intervening, the first shot told the story, hitting the orange, half the bullet going through.

TRACK LAYING.—The track laying on the Kenosha and Beloit Road, we understand, has been let to a highly responsible and efficient track layer, Mr. Apguard.—*Kenosha Tel.*

OMINOUS.—Dr Judd, President of the La Crosse and Milwaukee R. R., when in our town the other day together with Mr. Chittenden, one of the contractors, purchased a large interest in about 1000 acres of land in the vicinity of La Crosse. Mr. Clinton had purchased a large amount of land and lots before. This shows at least that they have full confidence in the road and rapid growth of our village. Now is the time to make purchases of real estate in La Crosse. We have no doubt it will double its present rates before another spring.—*La Crosse Dem*

There is scarcely a board of pine Lumber, or a Shingle for sale at Muscoda, nor at any other place along the Wisconsin river. All the rafts, of which several hundred have passed this spring, have engagements below, at prices, probably higher than our lumber merchants would give. Probably Warner's Mills, and Augustine's Mills, at Potosi, are all the places in Grant County where building lumber can be had. Several hundred houses will not be built this year for want of lumber.—*Grant Co. Herald.*

MANDERVILLE.—This young and beautiful village, on Balsam Lake, in Polk Co., is attracting considerable attention. Quite a number of people have passed through this village, the past week *en route* for that place. Yesterday we saw a gentleman from that place, who informs us that Mr. M. M. Samuels the proprietor of this village has commenced a large hotel, and the village is improving otherwise to a great extent.—*Hudson (St. Croix Co.) Jour.*

A girl about sixteen years of age—the daughter of a gentleman residing in Westfield, N. Y.—was arrested in Cincinnati, and sent home to her father, from the troupe of Franconi's hippodrome, which she had joined at the enticement of two females belonging to the company.

REAL ESTATE IN MINNESOTA.—A late number of the Daily *Minnesotian*, notices the sale of land about two miles St. Paul at *two hundred and seventy-five dollars per acre*, which one year ago could have been purchased at *thirty* dollars per acre.

Two thousand seven hundred and sixty-nine immigrants arrived at New York from foreign ports on Tuesday and Wednesday week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT NOTICE.

THE FOREMEN of the several Fire Companies are requested to report to the Chief Engineer on Monday next, at 9 o'clock, how many go to Madison from their companies.

my19 2t J. S. FILLMORE, Chief Engineer.

MILWAUKEE COMMERCIAL RECORD.

Office of the Free Democrat, MILWAUKEE, MAY 19, 1854

Markets active and receipts good. Dealers are anxious to purchase at ruling rates.

Wheat is in good demand at $1,50@1,60 for White winter; Club $1,45@1,50; Common Spring $1,30@1,40.

Barley declined—merchants not purchasing for shipment—worth 63@66. Rye 72@75. Corn 42@45. Potatoes 25@37½.

Freights—Wheat to Buffalo, 12½c; Rye 12c; Flour 45 @47 Wheat to Oswego, 17c.

Shipments of grain heavy.

MARINE LIST—PORT OF MILWAUKEE.

Milwaukee, May 19, 1854.

—ARRIVED—

Str. Traveller, Cooper, Chicago; 230 Pass., 18 Horses.
Str. Traveller, Cooper, Sheboygan.
Prop. Dunkirk, Hathaway, Buffalo; 142 tons Mdse.
Prop. Buffalo, Conkey, Chicago.
Prop. Scioto, Bennett.
Sch. Wayne, Just, Manistee; 54 M. Lumber.
Sch. Tempest, Fitzgerald, Chicago.
Sch. Albany, Johnston, Cleveland; 31 tons Stone Coal

—CLEARED—

Str. Traveller, Cooper, Sheboygan.
Str. Traveller, Cooper, Chicago.
Prop. Buffalo, Conkey, Buffalo; 35 casks Hams.
Brig Lowell, Ratton, Oswego; 12,500 bu. Wheat.
Brig Empire State, Dunick, Buffalo; 16,000 bu. Wheat
Sch. Stanley Hibbard, Adams, Buffalo; 800 bbls. Flour, 6850 bu. Wheat, 182 bbls. Pork.

DEATHS.

BAKER.—At St. Louis, on the 8th inst., of cholera O. F. BAKER, formerly of this city.

Funeral sermon one week from next Sabbath, at the M. E. Church, at half-past 10 A. M. Friends are invited to attend.

THE PEAK FAMILY!

VOCALISTS AND GERMANIAN BELL-RINGERS!

Will give TWO MORE ENTERTAINMENTS at

YOUNG'S HALL,

FRIDAY AND SATUPDAY EVENINGS,

May 19th and 20th.

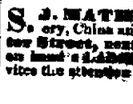
Tickets 25 cents. Reserved seats 50 cents. For sale at all of the bookstores, where a plan of the Hall may be seen.

Seats can be secured prior to the Entertainment. An Usher will be in attendance to seat the audience.

Doors open at 7. Entertainment to commence at 8 o'clock. my19 2t

PIANOFORTES!

THE MOST MAGNIFICENT STOCK EVER BROUGHT TO THIS CITY.



Can now be seen at H. N. HEMPSTED'S MUSIC WARE-ROOMS, 175 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

Boardman and Gray's Celebrated Pianofortes, with their Patent "Dolce Campana" Attachment.

Ten first-class Premiums and Gold Medals have been awarded to these Pianos, by various Fairs and Institutes, within about two years and the manufacturers have in their possession testimonials from the most distinguished Musicians of Europe and America, including Jenny Lind, Strakosch, Gottschalk, Benedict and others, all unanimous in awarding to these Pianos the *first rank for superiority of tone, touch and finish.*

Also, **Firth, Pond & Co.'s Crystal Palace Premium Pianofortes,** with broad scale and Powerful tone.

Hallet & Cumston's Boston Pianos and **Steddart's celebrated New York Pianos.**

All for sale at Manufacturer's Prices, and Warranted in every instance to prove satisfactory, or no sale.

my19 H. N. HEMPSTED, 175 East Water St.

STRAWBERRIES.

GEO. NEWLAND, the "AMERICAN STRAWBERRY MAN," from Western New York, will be in MILWAUKEE, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, 24th, 25th, 26th in the vacant place of W. S. Candee & Co.'s store, 90 Jan. East Water and Wisconsin streets, with Plants of Eight Choice varieties of Strawberries.

AT WAUKESHA, Saturday, 27th; WHITEWATER, Monday, 29th; MADISON, Tuesday, 30th, and Wednesday, 31st; JANESVILLE, Friday, June 2d; BELOIT Monday, 5th; BELVIDERE, Wednesday, 7th; ROCKFORD, Thursday, 8th; and FREEPORT, Saturday, 10th. my19 d4tw1t

For particulars see circulars, and call on Proprietor, G. NEWLAND, late of Palmyra, Wayne Co., N. Y.

A RARE CHANCE TO MAKE MONEY.

I PROPOSE to sell thirty recipes for the manufacture of articles of general use which command a ready sale, and large profits. Any young man of ordinary enterprise may select one or more from the number, and make from two to five dollars per day. Also some very valuable information to MARRIED PERSONS, and which no young man about to get married should be without to procure. All of which I will send to any address upon the receipt of one dollar, by mail or otherwise, POST PAID, addressed to

my19 tf W. H. PEYTON, Madison, Wis.

REMOVAL.

S. J. MATHEWS has removed his stock of Crockery, China and Glass Ware to No. 99 East Water Street, next door to W. P. Young's, where he has on hand a LARGE STOCK OF GOODS, to which he invites the attention of the public. my18

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Howard Life Insurance Company OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

THE undersigned is agent for the above company, office on Wisconsin street, next door to the Exchange Bank. JAMES P. GREEN.

BENNETT & CO.

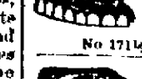
PIANO FORTE WARE ROOMS, 361, BROADWAY.

Manufactory 311, 313 & 315 *Barrington street* N. Y. ap30dac f

MINER & FARRIS, PRACTICAL DENTISTS,

Office 13 Wisconsin street

S. B. BURNHAM, M. D. DENTIST,



ARCADE BUILDING, No 171½ East Water street, Milwaukee.

DR. H. G. FUNK, DENTIST.

Over Drs. LAKE & ORTON'S Drug Store Clinton street, Walker's Point, Milwaukee

BROWN'S DAGUERREAN GALLERY,

—MARTIN'S BLOCK—

201 East Water Street, - - - Milwaukee.

ESTABLISHED IN 1847.

FIRST-CLASS PICTURES TAKEN. Gold Lockets for sale. Operators furnished with stock of all kinds.

FOWLER'S EMPIRE DAGUERREAN GALLERY

221 1-2 East Water St., Milwaukee.

FIRST-CLASS PICTURES TAKEN—Good Likenesses warranted.

Instruments, PLATES, CASES, CHEMICALS and Gold Lockets for sale.

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E. D. HOLTON.....N. A. MILLERD

HOLTON & MILLERD, LAND AND COLLECTING AGENTS.

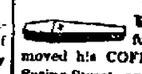
Offices, Nos. 11 & 13 Spring-st., corner West Water St., Milwaukee

Real estate in city and country for sale. Lands bought and sold on commission, and collections made.

NORMAN A. MILLERD, Attorney and Counsellor at Law, and Notary Public.

Milwaukee, November 16, 1853. no16 d1y

J. CROUCH,



UNDERTAKER, would respectfully inform the public that he has removed his COFFIN WARE ROOMS to the Store on Spring Street, OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE, where he is ready to attend to all orders which may be left, either at his Store, or at the Furniture Ware Rooms of J. I. Birchard.

Interments procured in any of the Cemeteries in or about the city. jan17 d f

WISCONSIN LEATHER COMPANY, DEALERS IN

Hides, Leather, Shoe-Findings, Oils, &c.

No. 80 East Water Street, - - Milwaukee.

The Company have an extensive Tannery in full operation at Two Rivers, and can safely challenge competition in *quantity or quality* of stock. They also keep a full supply of eastern stock, at eastern prices.

The highest price in cash paid for Hide, Skins and Pelts, at No. 80 East Water street. may15

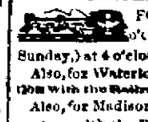
LAND OFFICE.

7,000 ACRES of GOOD LANDS, selected all three and four years ago for *choice farms* in different parts of Wisconsin. *For sale by me in quantities* to suit purchasers, on time, for cash, *Land Warrants* or city property.

A good team and agent in readiness to convey purchasers and exhibit the lands when desired. Office in Ludington's Block. W. P. FLANDERS.

Milwaukee, April 6, 1853. ap7tf

STAGES LEAVE MILWAUKEE



FOR CHICAGO, every morning at 7½ o'clock, for Sheboygan every day, (except Sunday,) at 4 o'clock, A. M.

Also, for Watertown, from the Forest House, in connection with the Railroad, at 4 A. M.

Also, for Madison every day, (except Sunday,) in connection with the Railroad at Stoughton.

jan2 FRINK & CO

MILWAUKEE CITY BANK!

OF

KNEELAND & HULL,

—No. 247—

East Water Street, Milwaukee.

THIS BANK is engaged in the business of BANKING, in all its departments (except the issuing of bank-notes), and will always be prepared to purchase approved Business Paper, Bills, Bonds Notes, Drafts, Bank Certificates, City, County and other Corporation Orders, &c., &c.

Interest paid on Deposites at the rate of Six Per Cent, subject to Check of Depositor without notice.

Money loaned to our customers IN ANY sums, and for any time, from one to ninety days.

Bills, Notes, &c., received for collection, and proceeds remitted at current rates.

Eastern and Southern sight and time Exchange always for sale, in sums to suit. Sept. 1st, 1853. (dac)

TOWNSEND, FINKLER & CO.,

BANKING AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN,

No. 215 East Water Street.

NEW YORK AND EASTERN EXCHANGE, and Exchange on all the Principal Cities of Europe, for sale at the lowest current rates. Money loaned and Business Paper purchased and negotiated. The highest market price paid for City, County and Railroad Orders, &c. Bills and Notes collected without charge and remitted at current rates.

Interest allowed on Deposites at the rate of Six per cent. Premiums paid for Gold and Silver Coin. Uncurrent Money bought and sold. Gold and Silver Coin for sale. Illegal Currency taken for collection. my19dly

G. PAPENDIEK & CO.,

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

No. 210, East Water Street.

DRAFTS constantly for sale at the lowest current rates on

NEW YORK, BOSTON, BUFFALO,

CINCINNATI, CHICAGO, ETC.

Also on the following places in Europe:

Bremen, Hamburg, Frankfort, a. m. Leipsic, London, Paris, etc.

Six per cent p. a. interest allowed on deposits made for one month and longer.

NOTICE.—THE ATLANTA BANK, of Georgia, recently chartered by the Legislature of that State, is now owned by the Subscribers, and as such owners, they are personally liable for all its issues, in terms of the act of incorporation. The notes of the Bank will be received on deposit by the subscribers on the same terms that Ohio and Indiana money is received, and they will be redeemed in New York by the Agents of the Bank, at three quarters of one per cent. discount.

Chicago, April 23, 1853. GEO. SMITH & CO.

NOTICE.—We will receive on deposit at par the Bills of the *Erie and Kalamazoo Rail Road Bank*, the *Merchants' Bank of Macon, Georgia*, and the *Farmers' Joint Stock Banking Co. of Tarrens, C. W.*, as usual.

W. J. BELL, President.
KNEELAND & HULL,
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THE EXCHANGE BANK.—(OF WM. J. BELL & CO.)—Recently organized under the Banking Law of this State, is prepared to transact a GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.

Collections made in any part of this State, on favorable terms. Interest allowed on deposits.

SIGHT EXCHANGE for sale on Eastern and Southern Cities. ja27

SAMUEL MARSHALL.....CHARLES P. ILSLEY.

MARSHALL & ILSLEY, BANKERS, in "Furlong's New Block," corner of East Water and Huron streets, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Exchange on England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, constantly on hand. my1

THE STATE BANK OF WISCONSIN is now prepared to do business under the Banking Law of the State. Exchange on all the principal Cities of the Union at current rates, Specie rates of interest allowed

DAILY DEMOCRAT.

C. D. BOOTH, Local Editor.

FRIDAY.....MAY 19.

☞ Those who want to make known what they have to sell, to people in town or country, will advertise in the FREE DEMOCRAT, as this Paper has an extensive circulation. Short stories, and to the point. ☞ Send in your orders before 8 a. m., to appear in afternoon paper. Terms reasonable.

Local, Miscellaneous, News, &c.

☞ For Miscellany, &c., see 1st and 4th pages.

THE PEAK FAMILY had a much better audience last evening, than on the first evening, and all seemed to be exceedingly delighted with the performances. They give another Concert this evening, with a change of programme. Also, to-morrow evening.

The only just criticism we can make, which would be of any service to our readers, is, go and hear them.

STRAWBERRIES.—The advertisement of Geo. Newland, the American strawberry agent, will be found in our advertising columns. They are highly recommended by many eminent Horticulturalists and fruit-growers in different parts of the United States. The vines grow very large and are said to have produced fruit, in some instances, measuring 3 inches in circumference.

AT a meeting of the Fire Department at Young's Hall, last evening, Nos. 5 and 6 resolved to attend the celebration of the opening of the R. R. to Madison in uniform with their engines. Many of the members of the other companies will also attend. The R. R. Co. have agreed to carry them to Madison and back for $1,50.

PIANOS.—We saw some very superior pianos, at Hempstead's, today, just imported from the East. There is one with a "Dolce Campana" Attachment, which is sold at the East for $600, which can be bought here for $570. No one need go East for pianos. Nor would any one be likely to, after looking at Mr. Hempstead's stock. See advertisement.

W. H. PLATON, of Madison, offers to furnish 30 recipes for the manufacture of articles of general use, for $1,00.

SEE Chief Engineers notice to the Fire Department.

COMMON COUNCIL.—At a meeting of the Common Council, last evening, a communication from the La Crosse R. R. Co. was presented, offering to pledge 1162 tons of Railroad iron instead of farm mortgages, as security for the issue of City Bonds, was referred to a select committee.

The select committee to whom was referred the subject of issuing $75,000 to the Watertown R. R. Co., reported in favor of issuing said bonds, if the Company would deposit $100,000 of full paid stock with the city.

The Company, we learn, are willing to enter into such an arrangement.

The Ordinance providing for the issue of $50,000 bonds for the Harbor at the Straight Cut was passed.

TRANSACTIONS IN REAL ESTATE.—The South 50 feet in quarter block 33, on Astor st., 1st Ward, was sold yesterday, for $1,600. This property was purchased one year ago for $725.

The north half of lot 8, block 128, was sold for $100, and one-fourth of lot 9 in the same block for $150.

Messrs Townsend & Finkler have purchased 73 acres of land lying on the North Point, about two and a half miles from Wisconsin street, at $200 per acre.

A sale has been made of a small tract of land, about half a mile beyond the city limits on the Watertown Plank road, for $200 per acre.

A short time since this property was sold for $148 per acre.

Mr Gilman recently sold 80 acres of land, adjoining Lockwood's Addition, 1st Ward, for $200 per acre.

EXPORTS OF MILWAUKEE.—The following are some of the leading shipments from the opening of navigation up to yesterday:

Wheat, bushels	311,461
Rye, do	142,668
Flour, bbls	26,000
Pork, bbls	14,015
Brick M	658,000

—News.

ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived at Buffalo from this port and Chicago between Wednesday and Thursday noon: brigs R. Hollister, Courtland, F. C. Clark; schooners Lady of the Lake, Wing & Wing, Gen. Taylor. Cl'd for Chicago, propellers Nile, St Joseph, Forest Queen, and schooner Osprey.

MARINE.—The brig, Empire, has taken her clearance for Buffalo with 16,000 bushels of wheat mostly taken on at T. P. William's Warehouse.

The brig, Lowell, has cleared for Oswego with 12,500 bushels of wheat.

The new schr C. Harrison, built during the past winter, for Caleb Harrison, near Oneida St bridge, went down the river this morning fully rigged for operation. We learn she is to load with produce for Buffalo.

MAIL ROBBERY.—A young man, named Jno. Drake, in the employ of a mail contractor between Elkhorn and Geneva, Walworth Co., was arrested on Tuesday last, charged with having taken letters and money from the mail. He was brought to this city by Dep. Marshal Ontman, and lodged in jail, and yesterday his examination came off before U. S. Commissioner Smith.

Young Drake acknowledged that he had broken open 15 letters, one of which contained $15. Mr. Ontman exhibited to the Court several waybills and letters which had been abstracted from the mail and scattered by the wayside by Drake.

He was held to bail to appear and answer in the sum of $2,000, and in default committed. He is said to be a very illiterate man—being unable to read or write.

The *Home Journal* says: "The wife of our new Secretary of Legation—does the public happen to know who that is?—is none other than the brilliant 'Bell Smith'—the correspondent of the *Home Journal* a year or two ago, and quite the most dashing and agreeable letter-writer of the western periodicals, we sincerely used to think." Willis refers to Mr. Platt, the wife of Judge Platt, lately appointed Secretary of Legation to Paris.

That "Respectable Witness of Good Character and Veracity" Once More.

FREE DEMOCRAT OFFICE, May 19th, 1854.

"As regards my being discharged [from the Free Democrat office], I here state, unequivocally, that those three men are *liars!* and *all others* who give utterance to this falsehood."—*Geo. C. Haddock, Scavenger for the Satanic.*

That the said Haddock considered himself discharged, is proved by the fact, that, on asking us to whether his employer wished him to *continue in his employ*, he was told that he could stay no longer than the time agreed upon. And he would have been discharged weeks before he left, but for such agreement. It is true, that at the time he left, there was nothing pertaining hurrying for him to do, which is often the case in all job offices; but since he left, the office has had as much job work as it can do; and further, it is much more satisfactorily executed than while he was jobber.

I will here state some of the reasons why the said calumniator was discharged from the place he held in this office:

1. He is not, what he claimed to be, a *first rate* job printer. His work did not give satisfaction, and his blunders were numerous and frequent, thus bringing the jobbing character of the establishment into ill repute.

2. He was negligent of his duties, absenting himself from the office during work-hours, and when sought by his employer could not be found.

3. He is of the "b'hoy" type of character, crossed with the rowdy. I am informed that he goes armed with a *borrowed* rawhide and a dirk knife.

4. He had become connected with an amateur theatre in this city, which took up his time and attention, to the neglect of his duties in the office.

5. He was also, at the same time, particularly attentive to a certain Mrs. ———, so much so, that her husband threatened to shoot him—so Mr. Haddock himself stated—which very much frightened the puppy. We might amplify upon this point, especially as to the *roughness* of the Lake the morning he started to go to the boat for Racine, and came back looking *very pale*, but we forbear at present.

"Shaw & Haddock!"—like master like man—a beautiful pair!—*base and malicious calumniators*, who *delight* in the *fiendish* work of dragging down the reputations of others to the *degraded level of their own*. Futile efforts. The slanders will only return to roost in their own vulture hearts. Poor devils! They are to be pitied—their necessities have driven them to evil courses.

P. S. BOOTH,
Foreman Free Democrat Office.

THE "*Plymouth Rock*" and "*Western World.*" These new steamers, built at Buffalo, will be ready to take their place on the Michigan C. R. R. Line by the 15th of of June next. Their dimensions are as follows:

Length	348 feet.
Beam	42 "
Depth of Hold	15 "
Tonnage	2500 tons.

The accomodations for passengers include 124 State Rooms, and altogether berths for 1,000 Cabin passengers, having room on a liberal scale. On the main deck, space for freight is afforded to the capacity of 300 tons, while the arrangements for the accommodation of second class passengers are also excellent.

LOCAL ITEMS.—Fifty passengers came over the railroad for Madison, yesterday. The stages brought up what they could from Stoughton, and the balance, about 30, including a number of ladies, came on the rail road to the other side of the lake, from whence, part of them footed it across the bridge and up to town, and others were brought around in carriages.—*Madison Argus.*

It was stated about two weeks since, that the alewives had been washed in great numbers on the shores of Cohasset by the effect of the recent severe storm. From a week ago Monday to the following Saturday, it was computed that over 50,000 had been thrown ashore, and the prospect for a still larger number was quite encouraging.

FIRE.—A fire broke out about 11 o'clock last night, in the building occupied as a Blacksmith shop, Wagon shop, &c., near Dickeys foundry, on the west side of the river. The building was entirely destroyed, and the one adjoining, a dwelling house, was badly scorched. Loss not known.—*Racine Adv.*

Extra Term of Circuit Court.—An extra jury term of the Circuit Court of Dane County will be held here, commencing on the second Tuesday in June, in order to try the cases which were not disposed of during its late session.—*Madison Journal.*

There are said to be in the neighborhood of 300,000 pounds of mineral on the ground and for sale at Highland, which, at the price now offered will bring a pile of money—not rags.—*Grant Co. Herald.*

The Providence *Journal* has entered a protest against the cruel practice of bleeding veal before slaughtering, to give it a white appearance.

You can't prevent the birds of sadness from flying over your head, but you may prevent them from stopping to build their nests there.

HAVEN POWERS,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
Birchard's Block, Cor. Spring and West Water Sts.
Office Hours—8 to 12 and 2 to 5 1-2.
☞ COURT DAYS—TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—Efficacious remedies for the Cure of Bad Legs and General Debility of the System.—Mrs. Gibbon, 31 Bailey street, Newcastle-on-Tyne, had been a sufferer for a considerable period, from ulcers in her legs, which were so bad that she was almost incapable of walking, consequently her health became very much impaired. She tried many remedies without deriving any benefit. At the suggestion of others, who had been cured by Holloway's Ointment and Pills, she commenced using them, by which means her legs were soundly cured, and her health completely re-established. my17 d1w

☞ DR. W. W. LAKE has taken an office in Miner's Block, opposite Waldo's Daguerrean Room, and fitted it up in elegant style. One would almost be tempted to be an invalid, just enough to form an excuse to visit his room, and examine his pictures, and breathe the air of comfort which pervades it. Say what you will, a beautiful room, reminding one of the blessings of life, and a physician whose whole aspect suggests, that it is far better to be *happy* and *live* than to *grumble* and *die*, are far more attractive to invalids as well as to persons in health, than a musty old office tenanted by a crabbed son of Æsculapius, cross enough to frighten off death and the devil, as well as his patients.

GOOD EXERCISE!
THE HEALTHY EXERCISE OF BOWLING can be enjoyed at all reasonable times at the
YOUNG AMERICA BOWLING SALOON!
on MAIN STREET, just below Huron.
my17 d3t THOS. BURNS.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, May 18.—The market continues dull and inactive and the inquiry for flour is only in lots for the trade. Sales are about 800 bbls. at 8,37½@8,50 for good to choice brands Ohio and Michigan—8,12@8,25 for fancy.

Wheat market buoyant—stock light and holders firmer and above buyers views—sales 3000 bus. Milwaukee mixed on private terms, supposed to be about 1,65. Corn dull again and lower—sales 10,000 bus. at 59. All the close buyers were offering 60. Oats in light supply—held at 45cts.

Canal freights dull at 55@57 on flour and 12 on Corn to New York. Receipts for the last 24 hours are light—Flour 836 bbls; Pork 100 bbls; Wheat 22,300 bus; Corn 47,900 bus.

The approaching annular Eclipse.—On the 26th inst., there will be an eclipse of the sun, which will deserve to be remembered here as one of the most remarkable of this century. Because the moon happens, this time of the month, to appear smaller than the sun, it will nowhere cover the sun, but in the most favorable positions a narrow ring of light will be seen. The places where this ring can be seen are in a tract from 110 to 130 miles in breadth, the middle of which passes through Portsmouth, N. H., coming from the north-west across the southern part of New Hampshire, the middle part of Vermont, the northern part of Massachusetts and West Canada. In the middle of this tract, the ring will be perfect, and about a thirtieth part of the sun's diameter in breadth. Both the beginning and the end of the eclipse will be visible throughout the whole of the United States, and observations of them will be of great use for the determination of longitudes. The shadow of the moon coming across the Pacific first reaches the coast of California, near San Francisco, at about half-past two in the afternoon, by Washington time, or at about half-past eleven in the morning, by the time of San Francisco; and in two hours will have covered nearly the whole continent of North America, with its southern limit in the southern part of Mexico, and its northern limit beyond the north pole.

It will continue on the whole of the United States nearly an hour and a-half, which, first ending on the Pacific coast, it will pass from the whole country in less than fifty minutes. The eclipse will begin in Boston about sixteen minutes past four in the afternoon, and end about thirty-eight minutes past six; the moon will cover from ten to eleven-twelfths of the sun's diameter. The effect of an annular eclipse on the earth and sky is less striking than that of total eclipses, which are described by those who have seen them as presenting an awful aspect during the short time that total darkness lasts. The advance of the total shadow around the horizon can be seen from an eminence, and as it comes on it plunges the regions in its path into appaling darkness, while a gloom hangs over the rest of the country.

LUMBER ON THE GRAND AND MUSKEGON RIVERS.—The Grand Rapids Enquirer in quoting the present prices of lumber in the Chicago market, says that the advances indicated have "stimulated the manufacture of the lumber in a great degree, and must add largely to the profits of lumbermen, and to the wealth of this country. Last year the export of lumber alone, (exclusive of lath, timber and shingles,) from the mouth of this river amounted to 41,000,000 feet, and from the Muskegon upwards of 30,000,000 feet. This year not less than 90,000,000, and it is quite probable 100,000,000 will be exported from Grand and Muskegon rivers. This will nett the manufacturers an average price of not less than twelve or thirteen dollars at the mouth of these rivers. These estimates will give an amount of export for this article alone from these two rivers, of from eleven hundred to twelve hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which will, in consequence of increased price and quantity, exceed any previous year about *one hundred per cent.*

Orr, alias the "Angle Gabriel," was examined by a council of physicians on Thursday, pronounced perfectly rational, and discharged from custody.

UNCLE BEN
HAS JUST RECEIVED A LOT OF
Fine Moleskin and Drab Beaver Hats,
Expressly for the City Trade.
Beebe & Co.'s, Genin's and Leary's Styles!
Also, a complete assortment of all kinds of
SUMMER AND STRAW HATS,
for sale low. Call in and see, at THROOP & BAILEY'S,
180 East Water Street.

N. B.—Hats that are made by EASTERN CONVICTS who have served their time, for sale at from $1,50 to $3,00.
my16 THROOP & BAILEY, 180 East Water St.

HARD WOOD LUMBER!
THE undersigned has established a LUMBER YARD, on the Canal, opposite the Old Saw Mill, for the purpose of keeping a FULL SUPPLY of
All Descriptions of Hard Wood Lumber,
and will fill all orders on short notice, in any amount, from his Steam Saw Mill, which is now cutting from Forty to Fifty Thousand Feet per week.
☞ So call at the Old Saw Mill, as heretofore.
L. COMSTOCK.
Milwaukee, May 11th, 1854. my13d3m

LOTS FOR SALE,
IN SHERMAN'S ADDITION, SECOND WARD.
IN Block 2, Lots 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15 and 16,
Block 3, Lots 1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 12, 14 and 16.
Block 6, Lots 11 and 12
Also, Twenty Acres in the west half of northwest quarter of Section 15, Town 7, Range 22, near the city limits, 1st Ward.
The above lots for sale *cheap*, if applied for *soon*.
☞ Farms in the country for sale.
HOLTON & MILLERD,
my11d2w Cor. Spring and West Water sts.

THE FRANKLIN GLOBES,
CELESTIAL AND TERRESTRIAL—Manufactured by Morrison, Moore & Co.—The Franklin Globes, 6-inch and 10 inch, to which we invite the attention of dealers and teachers, are a much superior article to the many imperfect ones offered heretofore, the Ball being made of a new material, and in the substitution of a tasty Bronze Frame for the old style wooden one. They are printed on new plates, giving the latest changes and discoveries, including the latest Arctic and Australian discoveries.
Call and examine for yourselves, at the Irving Bookstore, 150 East Water st (my17) H. D. HULL.

SPLENDID PORTFOLIOS & BANKERS' CASES, &c., at LOW PRICES.
Embossed Morocco Folios, Brass lock and lining, 50 cts.
" " " gilt, Steel lock, $1,25 to 1,50.
" Im Tur. Mor. 4 pockets, " " $1,75.
Bankers' Cases, Morocco, " " 1,50.
Money Books, as low as, 37c.
&c., &c. A good assortment of the above articles rec'd this morning, and will be sold at eastern retail prices.
my15 H. D. HULL,
Irving Bookstore, 50 East Water St.

TO THE LADIES!
MISS MORRIS would call the attention of her friends and customers to her NEW STOCK of
Embroideries, Millinery and Fancy Goods,
just received at No. 96 Wisconsin Street, Milwaukee. 4p26

L. F. FRISBY,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
WEST BEND, WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN.
☞ Will attend to the payment of Taxes, and purchase and sale of Real Estate dec10dly

A FARM OF 80 ACRES, with a good house on it, worth $400, in the town of Oak Creek, eight miles from the city limits, will be exchanged for city property or a stock of goods. Apply to (my16-d1w) CALEB WALL.

CAST IRON WELL CURBS.
A SMALL LOT of this most CONVENIENT ARTICLE just received. It is for wells and cisterns, and should be placed over all of them where there are children. Please call and see. For sale by
my11 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

OUR OLD FRIEND VAN COTT leaves for New York on the last of this week. Those wishing any articles in his line, he will be pleased to receive, and fill such orders as his friends may entrust with him.
my15-d1w

PIG LEAD! PIG LEAD!—4000 lbs. Soft Pig Lead, received and for sale by
my11 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

GIRLS WANTED,
TO DO EMBROIDERY. Apply to Mrs. LEVY, corner Main and Oneida streets. my12

BOYS SPADES.—A small lot received, and for sale by (my11) H. J. NAZRO & CO.

1854. SPRING EXHIBITION! 1854.
A MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF DRY GOODS!
Greater Bargains were Never Before Offered!
WONDERFUL AND ASTONISHING!
Great Addition to the Immense Stock of Goods, at
MACK'S NEW YORK CHEAP CASH STORE!
No. 194 West Water Street, - Milwaukee,
—DURING THE PAST WEEK—
MAKING the Largest Assortment of Dry Goods to be found in the City. Having bought of importers and manufacturers and heavily at auction, under extraordinary circumstances, they are prepared to offer, at great bargains all kinds of
Silks, Shawls, Mantillas, French Muslins, Calicoes,
Delaines, Cloth's, De Beiges, Lustre de Lyon, Alborines, and indeed every kind and style of Dry Goods worn by Ladies, Gentlemen or Children, or used in household affairs, and they respectfully solicit the public to
Call and Examine their Stock,
and judge for themselves whether their Goods are not superior in quality and style and CHEAPER THAN AT ANY OTHER ESTABLISHMENT IN THE CITY. It is impossible to enumerate all, or even a moiety of their great bargains, but would call attention to a few as a sample.
45,000 yards Chambrey Linen, Scotch and American Ginghams, for 1 shilling, worth 25.
56,000 yards Lawns, Organdines and Printed Muslins, yard wide, all colors, very fine goods, at 1 shilling a yard, worth more than double.
Merinoes, Alpaccas, Lustre de Lyon, Poplins, Muslinde Laines, Bareges, Barege de Laines, Tissues, Challies, De Beiges, Grenadines and Alborines will be offered so cheap that they can be bought for common wear.
BEAUTIFUL, FASHIONABLE PLAID SILKS, at 5 shillings a yard.
ELEGANT, PLAIN, CHANGEABLE and STRIPED SILKS, at 6 shillings a yard.
White Goods and Embroideries.
They offer the strongest inducements to purchasers and are confident they cannot be excelled.
They offer the best of Bishop Lawns, India Linen, Book Muslins, Swiss and Dotted Muslins, plain, striped and checkered Cambrics, from 1 shilling a yard upward.
Also, Lace and Muslin Window Draperies, Chemisettes, Undersleeves, rich embroidered Collars, embr'd Pocket Hdkfs, Infants' Waists, Lace Veils, Muslin and Cambric Bands, Edgings and Insertings, Thread Laces, etc., embracing an almost endless variety, and which they are offering at unheard of low prices.
SHAWLS.
Rich Canton Crape Shawls, black and colored Silk do., printed and wrought Cashmere, plain and printed Delaine, French Cashmere, and Broche Long and Square, of the most fashionable styles and patterns and splendid quality, at manufacturer's prices.
Cloths, Bonnets, Gloves, Hosiery, &c.
French Broadcloths, Doeskins and Cassimeres, of our own importation, and Satinetts, Ky Jeans, Flannels and Vestings, at prices much below their value.
Ladies' and Misses' Tuscan, Lace and Straw Bonnets, Ribands, Flowers, Parasols, Linens, Laces, Gloves, Hosiery, and Trimmings, in great abundance and at extraordinary low prices.
Marseilles Quilts, Toilet, Table and Piano Covers, Table Damasks, Diapers and Napkins of every kind and style the market affords.
French, English & American Calicoes, bleached and unbleached Shirtings, Sheetings and striped Shirtings, from 4d upward—and so on, through every department of their immense establishment, so that a Lady can buy her own and family's supply
Cheaper than anywhere else in this City.
And so extensive and general is their assortment, that everything that any Lady or Family can want, may be obtained there, without the fatigue and perplexity of
Running all over Town,
to make up their supply. They would invite special attention to their stock of
Plain Black Silks,
of the very best manufacture, and warranted A No. 1; also, every other kind of Black Silks, as watered, figured, plaid and striped, &c.
Mourning Goods of every Description.
Our Wholesale Departments on 2d, 3d and 4th floors, are well filled with Goods adapted to the Wisconsin market, and Merchants, Milliners and Pedlars will be supplied at New York Jobbing Prices.
MACK, OETTINGER & CO.,
New York Cheap Cash Store,
194 West Water Street, Milwaukee.
☞ We shall daily receive new Goods from our House in New York, and will always be supplied with the most fashionable and desirable styles, as they may arrive from Paris and London. my2

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
I AM just receiving my SPRING STOCK OF GOODS, which were purchased under as favorable circumstances as any in market, having been purchased exclusively FOR CASH, and will be sold at as LOW PRICES (if not lower) than at any other establishment in the city. For the proof of which it will only be necessary for those wishing to purchase, to call at No. 199 East Water Street, and examine goods and prices.
My goods are of as GOOD QUALITY and STYLES as any in the market, and consist of nearly everything in the Dry Goods line, such as
Silks, Cashmeres, Tissues, Bareges,
Muslin and Barege de Laines, Lawns, Jaconets, Ginghams, Chambrays, Poplins, &c., &c.
Shawls, &c.—Crape, Broche, Cashmere and Silk Shawls and Scarfs, Mantillas, Parasols, Fans, &c., &c.
Embroideries—consisting of Chemisettes, Collars, Undersleeves, Wked Bands, Edgings and Insertings.
Straw Goods—consisting of Bonnets, Flats, Children's Flats, and Straw Trimmings.
Linens, &c.—Irish Linens, Linen Lawns, Linen Cambrick, Linen Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.
Together with a good assortment of DOMESTIC GOODS, which will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH, at No. 199 East Water Street, Martin's Block.
ap25 E. S. BURR.

CITY LAND OFFICE,
Milwaukee, - - - - - - Wisconsin.
TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH of MOST VALUABLE PROPERTY, in the City of Milwaukee, will be sold at Public Auction on the 19th day of May inst., at 10 o'clock A. M.
The aforesaid property is Forty Feet on East Water St., below the United States Hotel. On it are two entire three, story Brick Stores, eighty-one feet deep, with office above, built of the very best brick and Lockport stone. The property now pays, under a lease which runs out May 1st, 1855, Sixteen Hundred Dollars. The property is now renting, it could be leased to pay Twenty-Two to Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars. The ground on which contains the bald buildings is worth, according to the value of ground opposite, Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars a Foot. The buildings cost near Ten Thousand Dollars, and could not now be built for any such money. The owner of this property is desirous of closing up his business, to make arrangements for extensive manufacturing operations. This is the reason why said property is offered at public sale.
Terms of payment—Cash. C. WALL, Agent.

EMPIRE SHAVING SALOON!
AT IT AGAIN!
GEORGE R. SYMES having taken the SHAVING and BATHING SALOON,
NO. 17 WISCONSIN STREET,
formerly occupied by J. W. Gray, begs leave to say, that having repaired and refitted the Shop and Bathing Room, he has opened, and shall be happy to wait on any or all of his old customers and friends, and the public generally, who may favor him with their patronage.
Particular attention will be paid to the
BATHING DEPARTMENT,
That it be kept clean and well supplied with clean water and clean towels.
Confident of our ability to do what's right, we bespeak for the EMPIRE a share of public patronage. It shall always be our endeavor to please.
my9 GEORGE R. SYMES.

JONES & CORL,
No. 208 East Water Street, Milwaukee,
(NEXT DOOR TO FAPENDIEK'S BANK,)
ARE NOW OPENING
And offering for Sale, an ASSORTED STOCK of
FAMILY GROCERIES,
at as low prices as they can be purchased in this market, and which will be sold at either WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.
☞ CASH PAID FOR BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY, &c., or taken in exchange for goods.
☞ All goods purchased at our store, will be delivered, free of any charge, from 6 A. M. till 10 at night.
my5d1f.

CITY LAND OFFICE.
A Great Bargain!—the Owner wants to Travel.
100 ACRES OF LAND, half a mile from the city limits, with a splendid three-story Brick House, entirely new, with two Parlors, a splendid Orchard, Garden, &c. 20 acres heavily timbered. Terms of payment—one-third down, and the balance in 1, 2, 3 and 5 years, with 1 per cent, interest. my5 CALEB WALL.

FARM FOR SALE.
JOHN GREGORY, House and Land Agent, is instructed to sell 115 acres of first rate land, near the village of Johnson's Creek, in Jefferson County. It has the advantage of a Plank and Railroad, and is situated on the banks of Rock River.—This will be sold cheap. ap22

WANTED AT "PAR"
FOR GROCERIES—At the very lowest Cash prices—
$1000 Joint Stock Co. Bank, Tallahoma,
1000 Erie & Kalamazoo Railroad Bank,
1000 Macon Merchants' Bank, Georgia,
By JONES & CORL, 208 East Water St.

CITY AUCTION ROOM.
A SUPERIOR 7 OCTAVE ROSEWOOD PIANO, new, which will be exchanged for a PAIR OF GOOD HORSES and BUGGY. It is a Good Instrument. (my4) CALEB WALL, Agent.

CITY LAND OFFICE.
I HAVE FOR RENT TWO GOOD TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSES, on Astor St., between Kilbb and Oneida Sts. CALEB WALL.

MONTHLY CALENDAR.
1854.....MAY.....1854.

Days of the Month and Week.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	Days of the Month and Week.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.
1..Monday	4 55	7 30	17..Wednesday	4 36	7 16
2..Tuesday	4 54	7 1	18..Thursday	4 35	7 17
3..Wednesday	4 52	7 2	19..Friday	4 34	7 18
4..Thursday	4 50	7 3	20..Saturday	4 33	7 19
5..Friday	4 49	7 4	21..SUNDAY	4 32	7 20
6..Saturday	4 48	7 5	22..Monday	4 31	7 21
7..SUNDAY	4 47	7 6	23..Tuesday	4 30	7 22
8..Monday	4 46	7 7	24..Wednesday	4 29	7 23
9..Tuesday	4 44	7 8	25..Thursday	4 29	7 24
10..Wednesday	4 43	7 8	26..Friday	4 28	7 25
11..Thursday	4 42	7 10	27..Saturday	4 28	7 26
12..Friday	4 41	7 11	28..SUNDAY	4 27	7 27
13..Saturday	4 40	7 12	29..Monday	4 27	7 27
14..SUNDAY	4 39	7 13	30..Tuesday	4 26	7 28
15..Monday	4 38	7 14	31..Wednesday	4 26	7 28
16..Tuesday	4 37	7 15			

WISCONSIN GENERAL INSURANCE OFFICE.
☞ LIFE, FIRE AND MARINE RISKS SOLICITED, in any of the following companies:
Hartford Life Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn.
Hartford City Fire Insurance Company, " "
Irving Fire Insurance Company, 72 Wall st., New York.
State Mutual Fire and Marine Insurance Company, Harrisburg, Penn.
Hudson River Marine & Fire Insurance Company, Crescent, New York.
National Protection Insurance Co., Saratoga Springs, New York.
Washington Union Insurance Co., Cleveland, Ohio
☞ OFFICE IN FURLONG'S BLOCK, first door at the head of the Stairs, corner of East Water and Huron sts., Milwaukee. J. S. BOISE, General Agent.
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TO THE HAT WEARING COMMUNITY!
SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS FOR 1854!
WE have now ready, our SPRING STYLE of Gentlemen's Dress Hats, and we would call the attention of our customers and the public to the style and quality now manufacturing. Thankful for the liberal patronage received the past season, no pains will be spared to merit the reputation this House has gained for the quality of its manufactures.
Persons leaving their orders, can depend on getting a Hat every way suited to their taste.
BARDSLEY & SCHLEIER, Fashionable Hatters,
No. 134 East Water st., 2d door from the entrance to the U. S. Hotel. feb2

THE BANK OF COMMERCE,
on the South West Corner of East Water and Michigan Streets, will attend to making Collections and doing other Banking Business. It has connected with it,
A Savings Department,
for receiving Deposites, on which Interest will be paid according to regulations of said Bank.
☞ STERLING BILLS, payable in any part of England, Scotland and Ireland, for sale at the "usual rates."
J. S. COLT, Cashier. G. W. PECKHAM, Pres't.
DIRECTORS.
JAMES H. ROGERS,
G. W. PECKHAM } of the late firm of Peckhams & Colt, Albany, N. Y.
J. S. COLT,
Milwaukee, April 27, 1854. ap27d3m

ICE CREAM,
At 192 East Water Street.
(Opposite Martin's Block.)
☞ J. McEWEN would respectfully inform his friends that he has fitted up an ICE CREAM SALOON at the above place, where he will keep the above article, of which he will not boast, but hopes those wishing such will come and try it. ap21

THE CITY MARSHAL'S OFFICE will hereafter be kept in the Sheriff's Office, in Prentiss's Block, over the Post-Office, where the Subscriber will at all times be ready to attend promptly to any business connected with his office.
JOHN MITCHELL, City Marshal.
Milwaukee, March 15, 1854.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE.—This Office will open at 8 A. M. and close at 9 P. M., from and after this date until further notice.
J. A. NOONAN, P. M.
November 21, 1853. n19tf

☞ NOTICE.—THE PROBATE OFFICE will be kept in BIRCHARD'S BLOCK, front room, second story, on the southwest corner of Spring and West Water streets. CHAS. E. JENKINS, County Judge.
Milwaukee, Jan. 2d, 1854. j5d3m

HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.,
SIGN OF THE PADLOCK.
141 East Water St., Milwaukee.
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN
HARDWARE AND IRON.
WE shall be receiving, during the season of Navigation, FULL STOCKS and LARGE ASSORTMENTS of every description of
English, German and American Hardware.
Also, Iron, Steel, Nails, Glass, Sash, Rope, &c., &c.
And shall have the pleasure, from time to time, of informing the readers of this journal of the different articles which we are receiving.
This is the first time we have appeared before the readers of the Free Democrat, and we trust we may make the acquaintance of and sell to a large number of those goods in our line. We shall be pleased to show and to sell our goods when an opportunity offers.
☞ *We do not mean to be undersold.* (ap22)
HENRY J. NAZRO, JOHN NAZRO,
New York. Milwaukee.

CITY LAND OFFICE.
A Superior Farm for Sale, 3 1-2 Miles from the City Limits.
160 ACRES, with all the Stock necessary for the Farm. The crops are all in, consisting of winter wheat, spring wheat, rye, barley, oats, corn, potatoes, peas, &c. There is also a very fine Orchard. It is one of the best farms in Milwaukee county. There are four roads which run directly to it, viz., the Watertown Plank Road, Wauwatosa Plank Road, Section Line Road, and Milwaukee and Mississippi Railroad. The Railroad Depot is about ¾ths of a mile from the house. The dwelling house is a good one, containing nine rooms with stone cellar under the whole house. Three barns, two wells, a cistern, two springs—in fact, it is perfect. 80 acres of it heavy timbered. The whole 160 acres are enclosed with a good fence. The farm with everything on it will be sold. A great bargain, if applied for soon.
Terms—Part down, balance in 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 years, with 7 per cent interest. (my17) CALEB WALL, Agent.

SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES!
RECEIVED THIS DAY A LARGE LOT OF LADIES AND MISSES SPRING AND SUMMER
FRENCH LACE, LEGHORN, LACE AND HAIR,
Willow, Belgrade, Pearl and
MOURNING BONNETS.
☞ Also a choice lot of ARTIFICIALS, &c., for sale low at J. D. GARDINER'S,
ap22 135 East Water Street.

GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.
THOS. HISLOP, Seedsman and Florist to the "Wisconsin State Agricultural Society," begs leave to announce the arrival of his Annual Stock of Farm, Vegetable and Flower Seeds, from England and Germany.
Separate Catalogues of each kind, with full description, may be had on application. The Flower Seed catalogue also contains a list of Roses, with Green House and other Plants.
N. B.—OSAGE ORANGE SEED for Hedges always on hand. THOS. HISLOP,
ap28 25 Wisconsin St., Milwaukee.

ARRIVAL OF THE "LEAD EXPRESS."
NOTICE EXTRAORDINARY!
A PORTION of my assortment of PAPER HANGINGS have come, and it is hoped the balance will be here soon. Those already received, make my assortment of
Gilt and Extra Fine Papers
better than was ever before offered in Milwaukee. And there are COMMON PAPERS enough to put an effectual stop to whitewashing kitchens. J. A. HALL,
my9 185 East Water Street.

ANOTHER "IMPORTANT CHANGE."
IRVING BOOKSTORE removed 2 doors north of the "Old Stand," to
150 East Water Street,
where the "Low Rents" will give us a great advantage over our neighbors in the trade. We trust our old customers and friends will not fail to find us.
A full assortment of articles in our line now on hand for sale at *still lower prices.* H. D. HULL,
May 15, 1854. Irving Bookstore.

BLACK SILKS!
ALL WIDTHS OF BISCHOFF'S and Geo de Zoetch celebrated Black Silks, of their manufacture and warranted, at BRADFORD'S, 155 East Water St.

DUTCH CHARD.—10,000 lbs Chrystal Prize Chard, received and for sale by
my13 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

PICK MANDLES.—A small lot of Pick Handles, just received, and for sale by
my13 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

THE RENOWNED REMEDY—
HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT!
THIS extraordinary Unguent is composed of the most healing Balsams, and when used in accordance with the directions which accompany each pot, will insure cures when all other means fail. Cases of the most desperate skin diseases readily yield to its efficacy. It is famous when used in cases of Gout, Rheumatism, Contracted or Stiff Joints. In Asthma it will do wonders, if well rubbed into the Chest.
A MOST ASTOUNDING CURE OF SCROFULOUS ULCERS.—A Case Certified by the Mayor of Boston, England.
Copy of a Letter from J. Noble, Esq., Mayor of Boston, Lincolnshire.
To Professor HOLLOWAY—
Dear Sir: Mrs Sarah Dixon of Liscorpond-street, Boston, but this day deposed before me that for a considerable period she was severely afflicted with Scrofulous Sores and Ulcers in her arms, feet, legs, and other parts of her body, and although the first of medical advice was obtained, and the cost of a large sum of money, she obtained no abatement of suffering, but gradually grew worse.
Being recommended by a friend to try your Ointment, she procured a small pot, and a box of the Pills, and before that was added, symptoms of amendment appeared. By perseverance with the medicines for a short time longer, according to the directions, and strictly adhering to your rules as to diet, &c., she was perfectly cured, and now enjoys the best of health.
I remain, dear sir, yours truly,
Dated August 12, 1853. (Signed) J. NOBLE.
AN EXTRAORDINARY AND RAPID CURE OF ERYSIPELAS IN THE LEG, AFTER MEDICAL AID HAD FAILED.
Copy of a Letter from Mrs Elizabeth Yeates, of the Postoffice, Aldwick Road, near Bognor, Sussex, dated Jan. 12, 1853.
To Professor HOLLOWAY—
Sir: I suffered for a considerable period from a severe attack of Erysipelas, which at length settled in my leg, and resisted all medical treatment. My sufferings were very great, and I quite despaired of any permanent amendment, when I was advised to have recourse to your Ointment and Pills. I did so without delay, and am happy to say the result was eminently successful, for they effected a radical cure of my leg, and restored me to the enjoyment of health. I shall ever speak with the utmost confidence of your medicines, and have recommended them to

TOKENS.

BY ALICE CAREY.

Truth, with her calm and steady eyes,
Looked sternly in my face one morning,
And of the night that closes on
Life's worn out day, I saw such warning.

As sunken cheeks and gray hairs give,
And faint smiles fading into sorrow;
And hiding from the light my face,
I cried, "O, night, that knows no morrow,

"Gather your solemn clouds away,
And leave me and my youth together,
And make its joys grow thick and bright
As apples in the summer weather."

And night was silent, and the sun
Was silent, and the eyes of heaven
Shut under lid-like clouds, and thus
An answer to my prayer was given.

I in a vision went, and saw
From the low grave, asunder breaking,
A face of beauty smiling like
A baby's in the cradle waking.

And heard a voice that said to me,
"Stay, if thou wilt among the living;
But earth thy ancient mother is,
And rest is only of her giving.

"Pain is the creed of nature's book,
Daily you read the truthful story
That when the day is dim with clouds
The twilight has the most of glory."

"The tassel of the corn must fade—
The ear will grow not in its shadow,
And for the winter snow there blooms
So much the brighter harvest meadow."

"So, send no more instead of praise
Through God's good purposes, a sighing,
The gray hairs and the fading cheeks
Are tokens of the glorifying."

[*Cincinnati Com.*

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Aspr Mitchell, Pres't Wis. Marine Fire Ins. Co. Bank.
F. Cramer, Pres't State Bank of Wisconsin.
David Ferguson, Cashr Wis. Mar. Fire Ins. Co. Bank.
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CITY LAND OFFICE.

A DARK DAY IS BEFORE US!

THERE will be an extraordinary Eclipse of the Sun on the 26th day of this present May, 1854, such as none but the oldest inhabitants in this country have witnessed. It will be very much similar to the Great Eclipse of 1806 (which I cannot exactly recollect) but all the cows came home and the chickens went to roost—so *Grand Ma said*.

But what has the Eclipse to do with Real Estate?—What is more bright and beautiful than Milwaukee? Let none allow themselves to slumber, but arouse yourselves and secure homes for your families before it is TOO LATE! For property in Milwaukee will be worth double its present price as soon as all our Railroads are completed, and that magnificent Hotel (which will soon be under way) is built. What made Chicago *what she now is*, and what has increased her property? The Railroads and Hotels! So has Cleveland been benefitted in the same way, and so will Milwaukee receive her reward. We are bound to have One Hundred Thousand inhabitants before ten years roll around. Nothing can prevent it. Where is a more beautiful city to be found, surrounded by a country densely populated by energetic and thorough Farmers, from all parts of the World—and as for Commercial and Mechanical operations, we have no equal this side of the Mountains! Our Water Power! What Western City can compare with it? So now take advice and secure yourselves homes, and be prepared for the Great Real Estate Sale, which comes off June 6th. I would also say to those who want to avail themselves of the benefit of this Sale to send in their list of lots before the 15th of May. I want to have my catalogue ready by the 20th.

may15 CALEB WALL, Agent.

COUNTY BUILDINGS.

Office of Clerk of Board of Supervisors, Milwaukee Co., MILWAUKEE, May 15, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following action of the Board of Supervisors was had May 13th, 1854:

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors of Milwaukee County are informed to locate the proposed County Building in whatever Ward of this City that will offer the best inducements for the same, it is therefore,

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board shall cause to be published in the different newspapers of this city, that proposals will be received at the next session of this Board, to be held on the twenty-first day of June next, from the different Wards in this city, offering such inducements as may be deemed necessary by said Board to give the location for the new County buildings to one or the other Wards in this city.

my15d3t A. BADE,
Clerk of Board Sup., Mil. Co.

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Give them a call and judge for yourselves, as they feel confident that a continuation of your favors will follow.

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☞ Trains leave Detroit daily (Sundays excepted) at 9 A. M., through in ten hours, connecting with the Night Express from Chicago, and with the New York Central Evening Lightning Express at Niagara Falls for Albany, New York and Boston.

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L. H. COTTON, Ticket Agent.

MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

NOTICE!

General Passenger Office Michigan Southern R. R., Chicago, May 10, 1854.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 15,

Four Passenger Trains will leave Chicago Daily,

OVER THIS ROAD, AS FOLLOWS:

1st. MORNING EXPRESS, - - Leaves at 6 A. M.
2d. MAIL EXPRESS, - - " at 2 P. M.
3d. EVENING EXPRESS, - - " at 6 P. M.
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Milwaukee County Court—In Probate.

AT a Probate Court, held in and for the County of Milwaukee, at the Probate Office, in the city of Milwaukee, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1854. Present, Hon. Charles E. Jenkins, County Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of GEORGE G. COMSTOCK, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Cicero Comstock and Leander Comstock, setting forth among other things, that the said George G. Comstock, deceased, in his life time and on or about the 11th day of January, 1854, made an agreement in writing with the said petitioners, whereby the said deceased agreed to convey to the said petitioners certain real estate, lands and tenements within the State of Wisconsin, particularly described in said petition, and which of the said deceased in his life time was seized and possessed, and claiming that they, the said petitioners, are entitled to conveyances of the same, and praying that Theodore Comstock, Administrator of the estate of said George G. Comstock, deceased, be required by decree of this Court, to convey to them by proper and sufficient deeds of conveyance the lots and parcels of land in said petition particularly described and claimed:

It is ordered, that said petition be heard before the Judge of this Court, at the Probate Office in said County, on Monday, the 26th day of June, A. D. 1854, at 9 o'clock A. M.; and it is further ordered, that notice thereof be published at least six successive weeks before such hearing, in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in the city of Milwaukee; and it is further ordered, that a copy of the foregoing orders be personally served upon Theodore Comstock, administrator as aforesaid, at least twenty days before such hearing. By the Court.

my15ddw CHAS. E. JENKINS, County Judge.

PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
MILWAUKEE COUNTY, }

IN the matter of the Estate of MICHAEL SHEAHAN, deceased.

On this 4th day of May, A. D. 1854, upon reading and filing the petition of Patrick Sheahan, stating that one Michael Sheahan, of the County of Milwaukee, died intestate on or about the 2d day of October, 1848, and praying that Patrick Sheahan be appointed Administrator on the Estate of said deceased: It is ordered, that said application be heard before me, at my office, in the City of Milwaukee, on the 27th day of May, A. D. 1854, at 10 o'clock A. M. And it is further ordered, that notice of said application and hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks, once in each week, in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in said city, prior to said hearing. By the Court,

my5 d1aw3w CHAS. E. JENKINS, County Judge.

PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
MILWAUKEE COUNTY, }

IN the matter of the Estate of GEORGE G. COMSTOCK, deceased.

On this 4th day of May, A. D. 1854, upon reading and filing the petition of Leander Comstock, stating that one Geo. G. Comstock of Franklin county, State of Ohio, died intestate on or about the fifth day of April, 1854, and praying that Theodore Comstock be appointed Administrator on the Estate of said deceased: It is ordered that said application be heard before me, at my office in the city of Milwaukee, on the 27th day of May, A. D. 1854, at 2 o'clock P. M. And it is further ordered, that notice of said application and hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks, once in each week, in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in said city, prior to said hearing. By the Court,

my5d3w CHAS. E. JENKINS, County Judge.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
MILWAUKEE COUNTY, }

IN the matter of the Estate of DONALD MCLEOD, deceased.

By virtue of an order made by the Hon. Charles E. Jenkins, County Judge of the said County of Milwaukee, in the above entitled matter, on the 2d day of May, 1854, granting license to the undersigned, Administrator, to sell the Real Estate belonging to the Estate of the said Donald McLeod, deceased, to wit: The southeast half of Lot Four, in Block Fifty-Five, in the Fifth Ward of the City of Milwaukee, the subscriber will sell at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder, on the 27th day of May, 1854, at the premises in the Fifth Ward of the city of Milwaukee, between the hours of ten o'clock and twelve o'clock in the forenoon of that day, the southeast half of Lot number Four, in Block number Fifty-Five, in the Fifth Ward of the city of Milwaukee, together with the buildings thereon.

Milwaukee, May 2d, 1854.

[my3d1my24] JAMES MURRAY, Administrator of the Estate of Donald McLeod, deceased.

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Great Sale of Real Estate!

ALL who desire to sell property at the GREAT SALE which comes off June 6th, will please send in their list. I am now preparing a catalogue giving a full description of the property. I intend to send several of the catalogues east and south. CALEB WALL, Ag't.

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s ½ " " 40.
n ½ s ½ " " 47.
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